



# AFFIDAVIT OF IDENTIFYING WITNESS (IDENTIFICATION OF A PASSPORT APPLICANT)

See back of form for detailed information

1. PASSPORT APPLICANT'S NAME <i>(Last, First, Middle)</i>
2. Basis of your knowledge concerning the PASSPORT APPLICANT <i>(Such as your relationship to the applicant)</i>
3. How long have you known the PASSPORT APPLICANT? _____ Years      _____ Months

### WITNESS INFORMATION

4. YOUR NAME <i>(Last, First, Middle)</i>		
5. YOUR RESIDENTIAL (HOME) ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE		
6. YOUR PLACE OF BIRTH <i>(City, State, Country)</i>	7. YOUR DATE OF BIRTH <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>	
8. YOUR DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (        )	9. YOUR HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER (        )	10. Have <b>you</b> ever been issued a U.S. passport? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <b>If yes, continue with questions #11 - 13.</b>
11. PASSPORT NUMBER, If possible	12. PLACE OF ISSUE	13. DATE OF ISSUE <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i> If necessary, give approximate.

**NOTE: Read the following oath but do not sign affidavit until requested to do so by an authorized acceptance agent.**

I solemnly swear (or affirm) that (1) I know or have reason to believe the above-named passport applicant is a citizen or national of the United States; and (2) the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATE <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>	(seal)	Witness to sign in presence of Acceptance Agent
Signature of person authorized to accept application	Clerk of the	Postal Employee/Passport Agent Location

## FOR ACCEPTANCE AGENT'S USE

### APPLICANT'S IDENTIFICATION

1. Issued in the Name of	Type of Document	Document Number
Place of Issue	Date of Issue <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>	Date of Expiration <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>
2. Issued in the Name of	Type of Document	Document Number
Place of Issue	Date of Issue <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>	Date of Expiration <i>(mm-dd-yyyy)</i>

### WITNESS' IDENTIFICATION

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This affidavit is required to be included with a passport application only when the applicant for a passport is unable to establish his or her identity to the satisfaction of a person authorized to accept passport applications. The applicant must still present some identification of his or her own. Witnesses must complete items one through ten (and if applicable, eleven through thirteen), sign when requested to do so by the same authorized acceptance agent who accepted the passport application, and present some form of current photo identification of his or her own.

**PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY IN BLUE OR BLACK INK ONLY.**

## **PRIVACY ACT AND PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT STATEMENTS**

**AUTHORITIES:** The information solicited on this form may be requested pursuant to provisions in Titles 8 and 22 of the United States Code (U.S.C.), whether or not codified including specifically 22 U.S.C. 211A and all regulations issued pursuant to Executive Order 11295 (August 5, 1966), including Part 51, Title 22, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR).

**PURPOSE:** The primary purpose for soliciting the information is to establish citizenship, identity, and entitlement to issuance of a U.S. passport. The information may also be used in connection with issuing other travel documents or evidence of citizenship, and in furtherance of the Secretary's responsibility for the protection of U.S. nationals abroad.

**ROUTINE USES:** The information solicited on this form may be made available as a routine use to other government agencies, to assist the U.S. Department of State in adjudicating passport applications and requests for related services, and for law enforcement and administrative purposes. It may also be disclosed pursuant to court order. The information may be made available to foreign government agencies to fulfill passport control and immigration duties or to investigate or prosecute violations of law. The information may also be made available to private U.S. citizen 'wardens' designated by U.S. embassies and consulates.

Failure to provide the information requested on this form may result in the denial of a United States passport, related documents, or service to the individual seeking such passport, documents, or service.

\*Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 5 minutes per response, including time required for searching existing data sources, gathering the necessary data, providing the information required, and reviewing the final collection. You do not have to provide the information unless this collection displays a currently valid OMB number. Send comments on the accuracy of this estimate of the burden and recommendations for reducing it to: U.S. Department of State (A/RPS/DIR) Washington, DC 20520.

### **WARNING:**

False statements made knowingly and willfully in passport applications or in affidavits or other supporting documents submitted therewith are punishable by fine and/or imprisonment under provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 and/or 18 U.S.C. 1542. Alteration or mutilation of a U.S. passport is punishable by fine and/or imprisonment under provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1543. The use of a U.S. passport in violation of the restrictions contained therein or of the passport regulations is punishable by fine and/or imprisonment under 18 U.S.C. 1544. All statements and documents submitted are subject to verification.